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To

MISS AMELIA SANDERS

because she was everything we needed when we needed it—a dear friend, an understanding teacher and helper, and a laughing comrade, we, of the Senior class, gratefully dedicate this volume. We shall always remember the twinkle of her brown eyes and the abrupt sincerity of her laughter.

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The Student Council was organized and first put into operation in the year 1936-1937. It was placed under the supervision of Mr. John Otts, its first faculty adviser, who was at that time head of the English Department.

During its first year, the organization's important work was the drafting of a constitution, which was completed and ratified on May 11, 1937.

Last year the Council introduced the Hall Director system. Since it proved successful, it was continued, with still better results, this year.

A series of assembly programs sponsored by the Council was presented to the student body this year. Several of these were arranged in collaboration with departments of the school.

A supply store, combined with a lost and found bureau, was organized in the fall. These made it possible for students to buy classroom necessities or locate lost articles during school hours.

Members of the Council have served as ushers at football and basketball games this year.

A home room records contest was launched at the beginning of the session. The home room in each grade making the highest scholastic and attendance averages was entertained by the Council.

The publication of a handbook was undertaken, and much material was gathered for this purpose. A stunt night program was staged to raise money for the project. The book was designed to contain general information about the school and its activities.



Officers: Walter Hale, President; Maude Ogburn Hudson, Vice President; and John Gromoski, Secretary.

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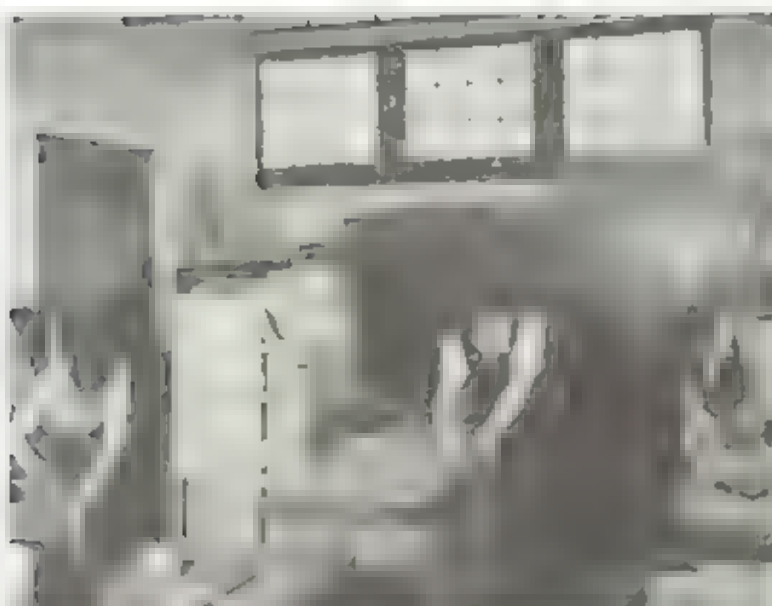
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On through years of fame and glor
Shrined in memories new and old,
Proudly stands our Alma Mater,
Loved by hearts as pure as gold

Mingled with a true devotion,
Thoughts of love shall ever be
In our hearts, dear Alma Mater,
As we sing our praise of thee

On through life thy spirit lingers,
Guiding us where'er we be,
Loyal hearts will always echo,
"Alma Mater, hail to thee!"

CHORUS

May thy motto always guide us,
"Fac et Spera" must prevail!
Hail to thee, our Alma Mater,
Dear old Spartan High School, hail!

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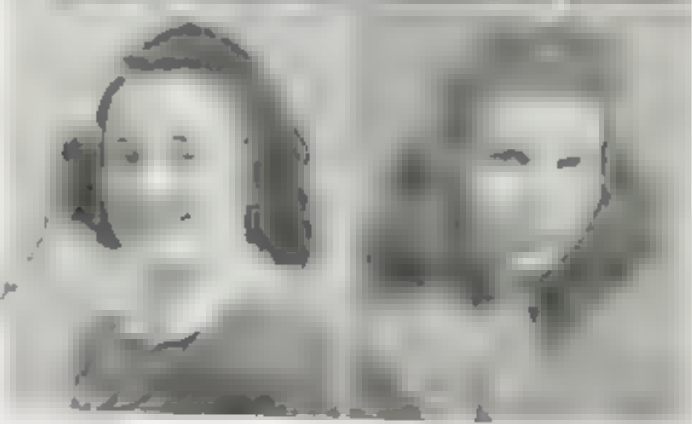
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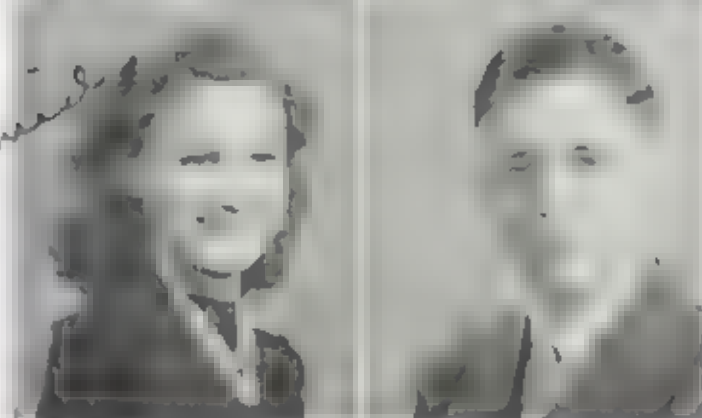
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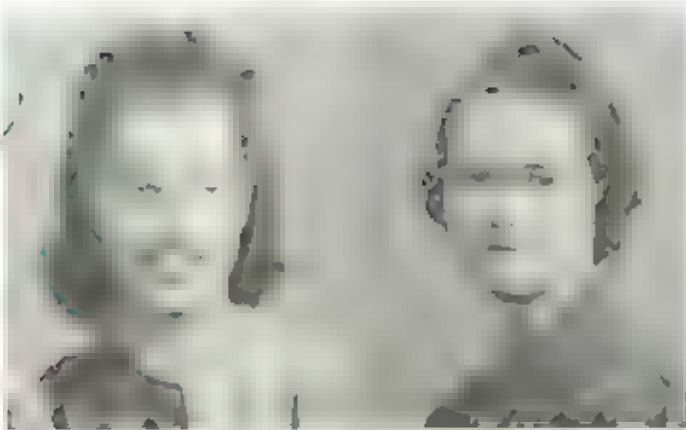
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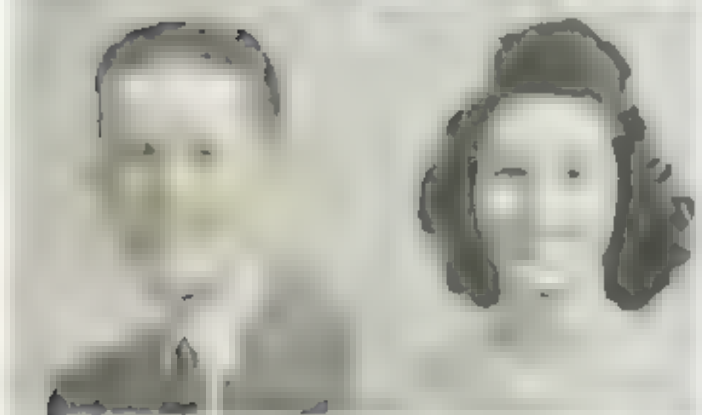
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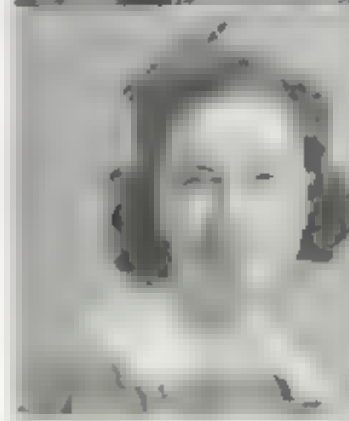
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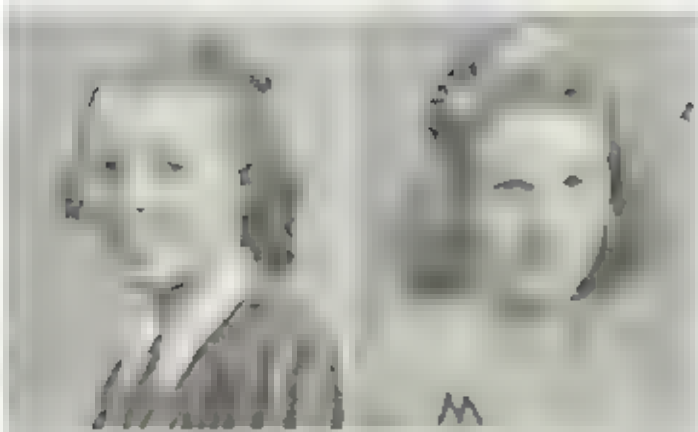


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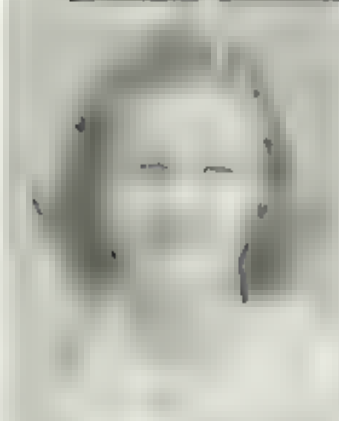


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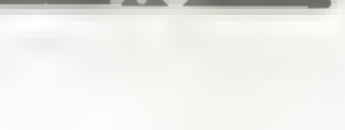
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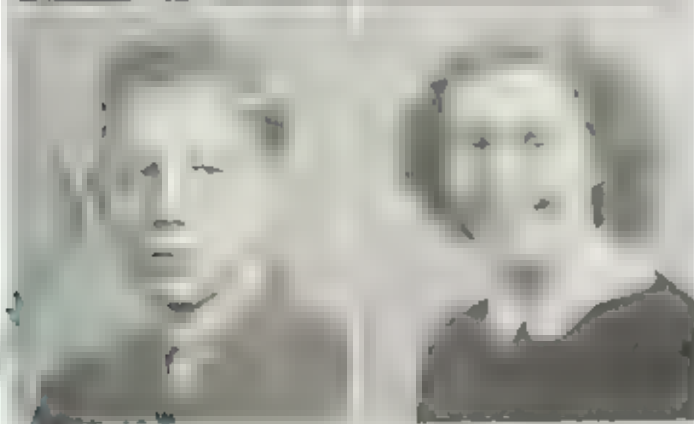


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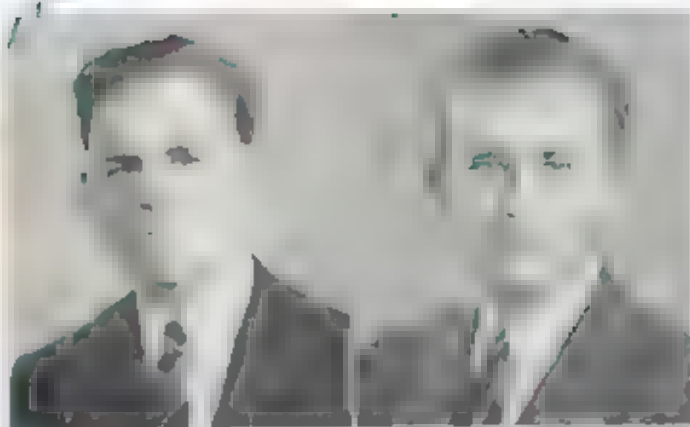
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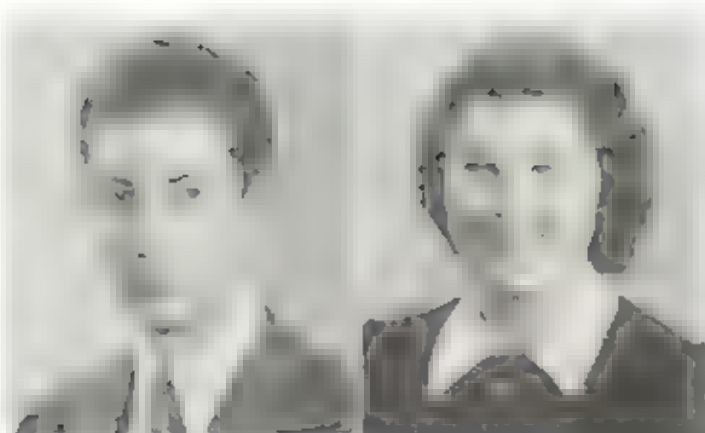
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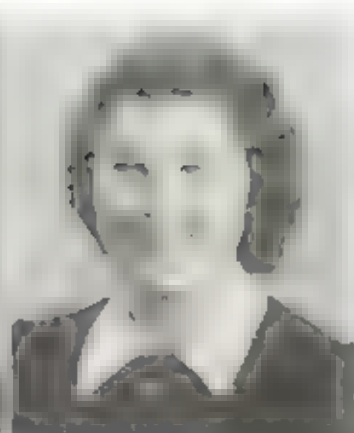


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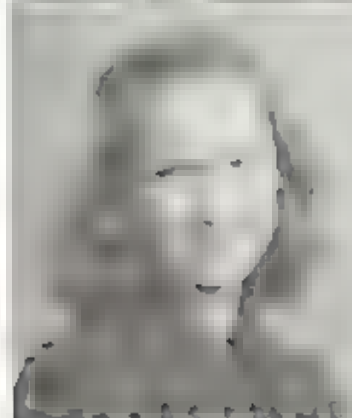
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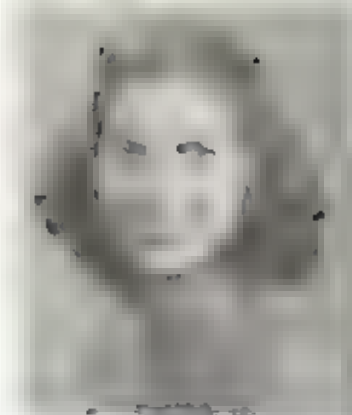
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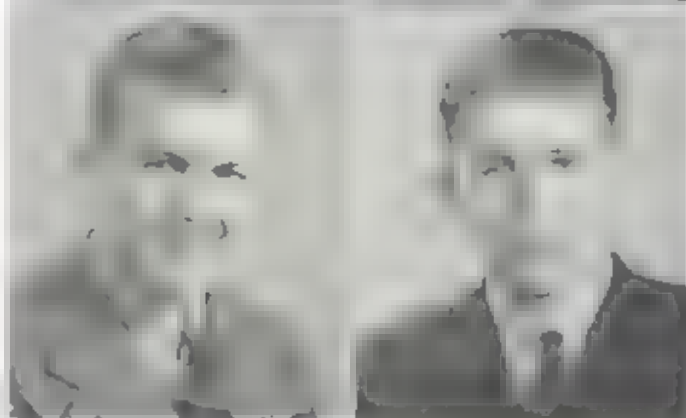
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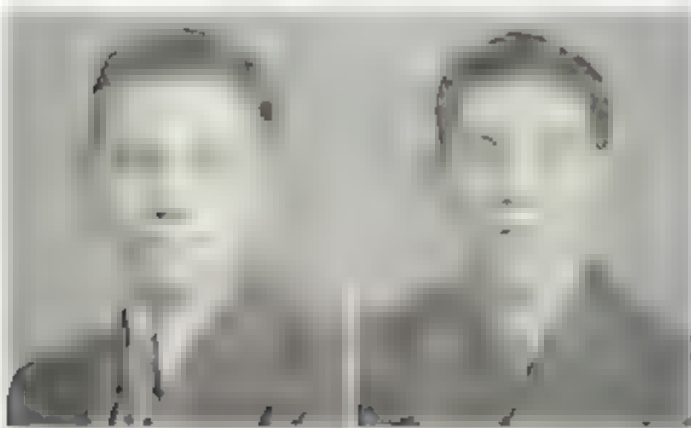


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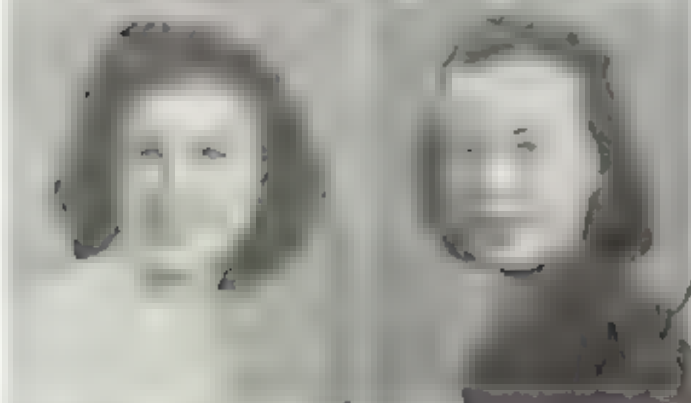
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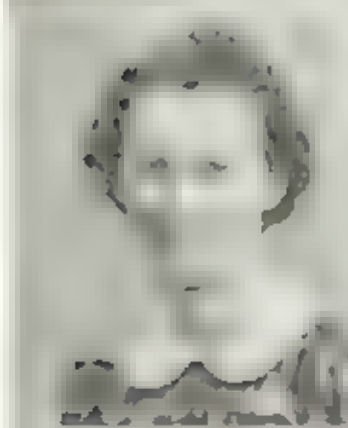
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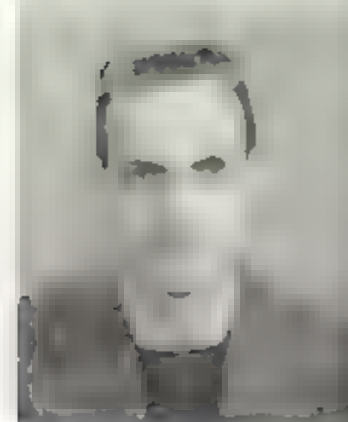
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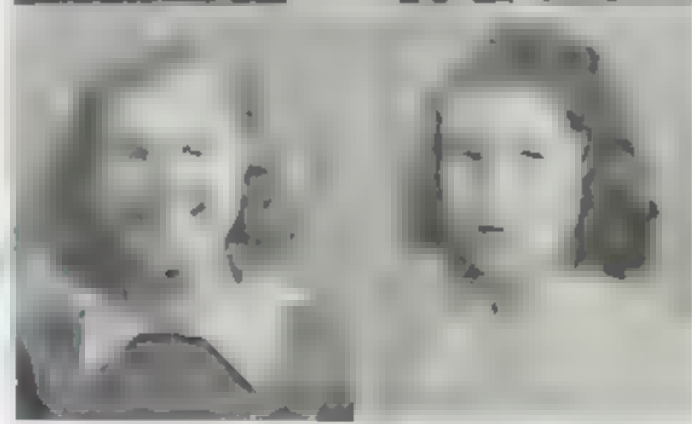
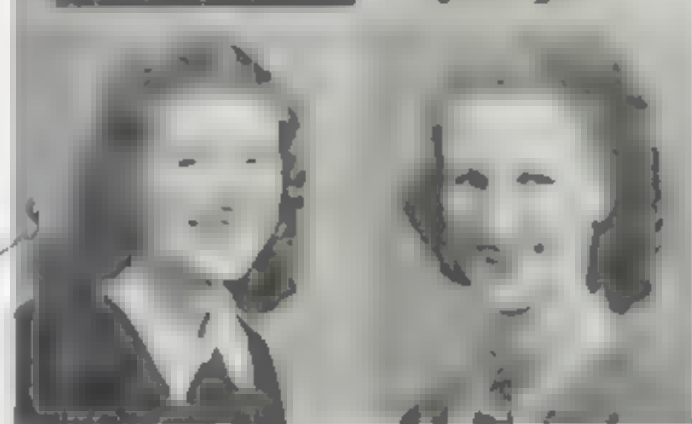
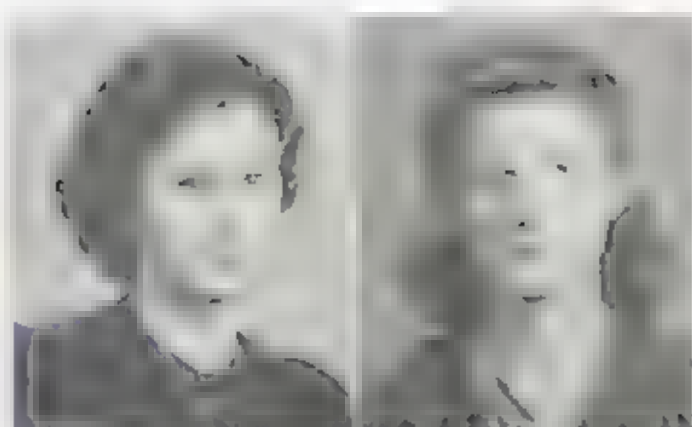
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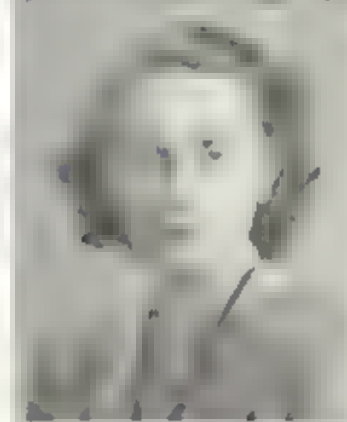
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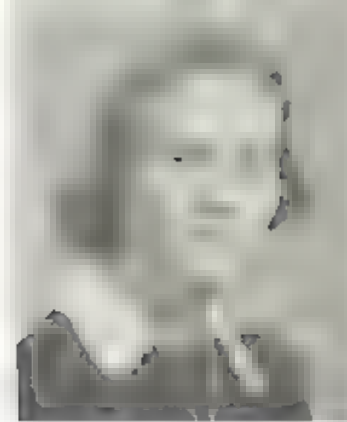
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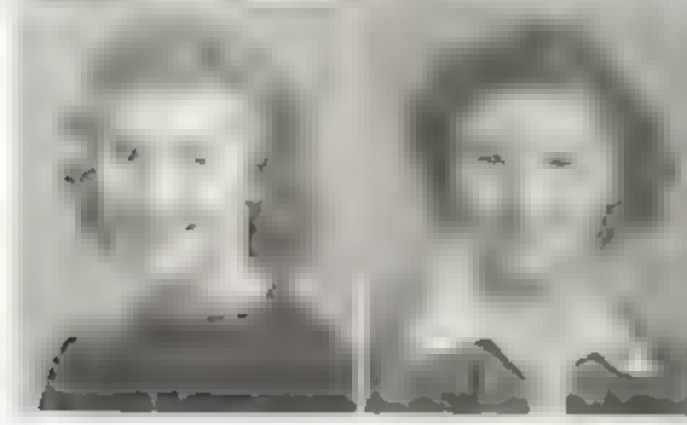
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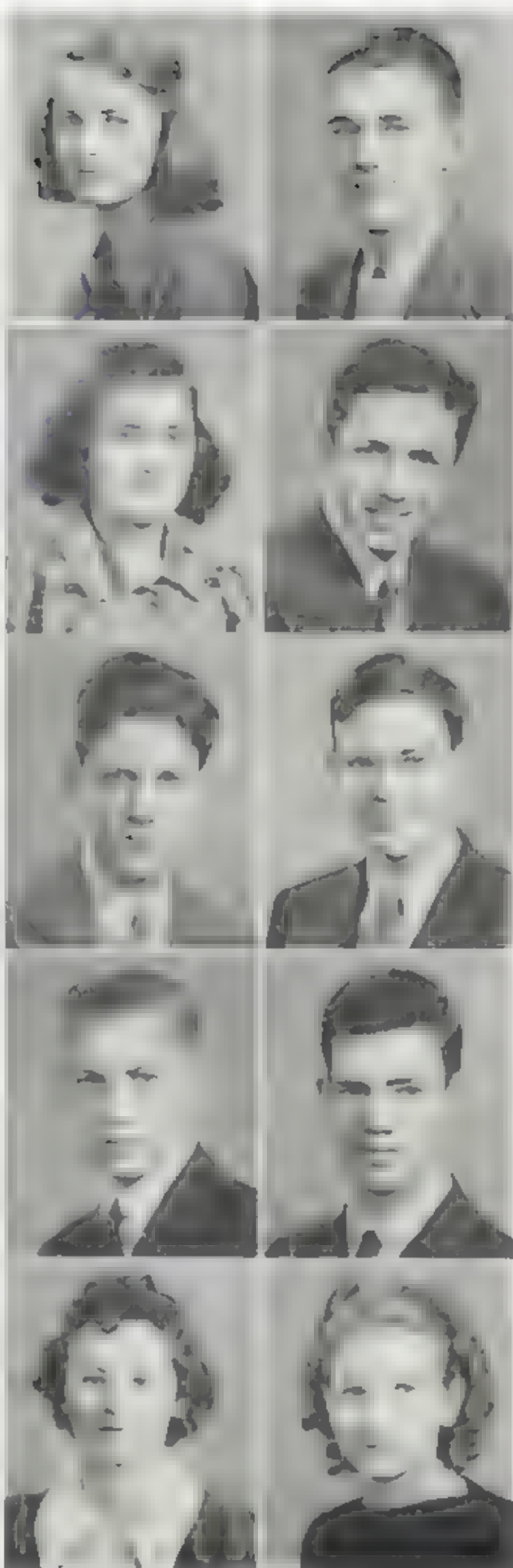
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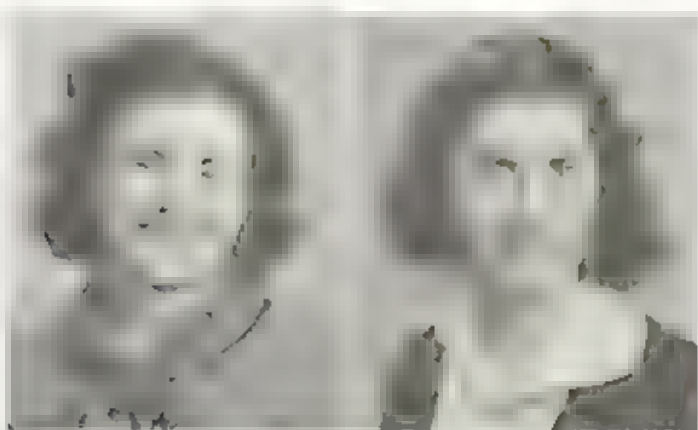
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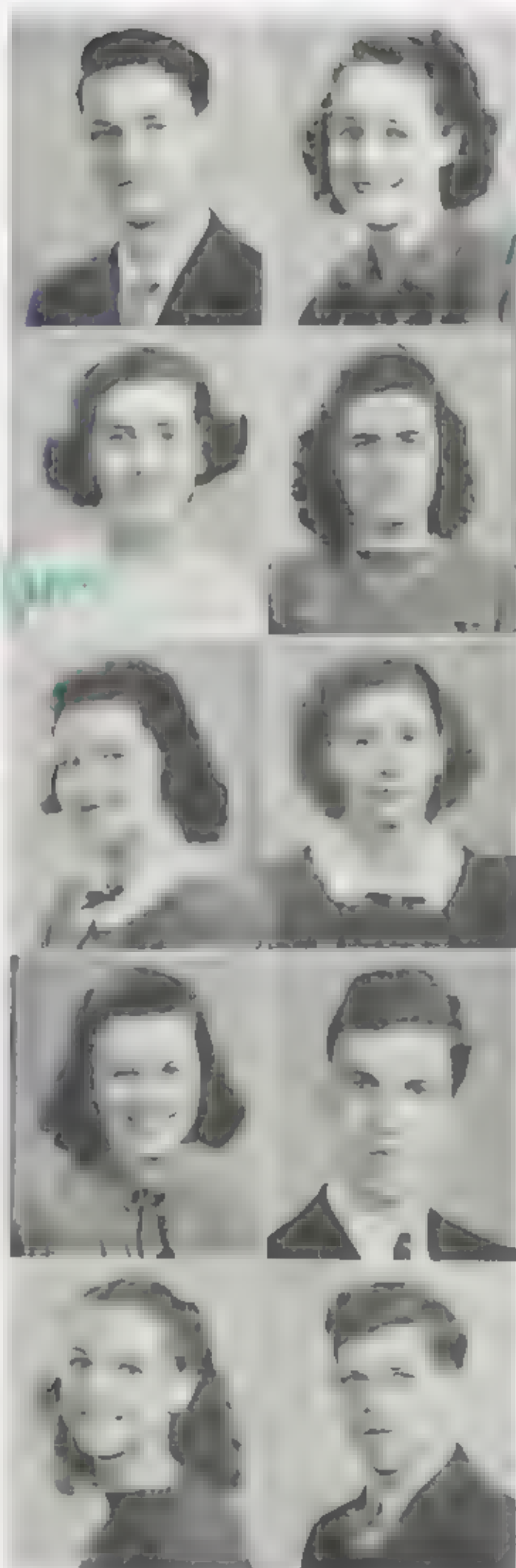
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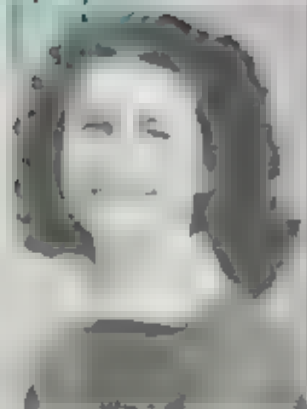
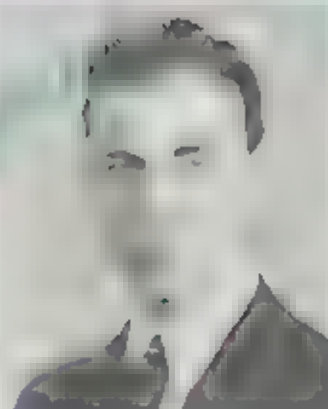
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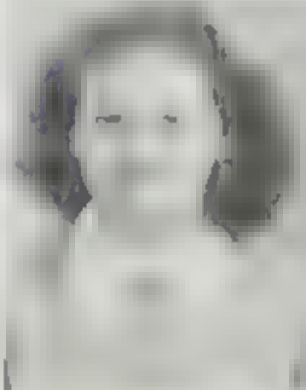
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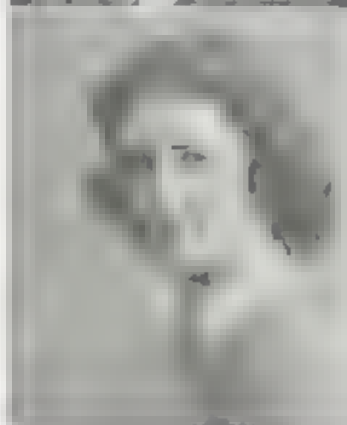
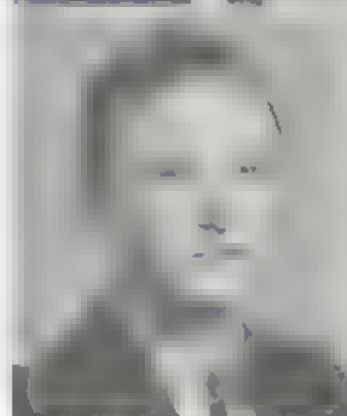
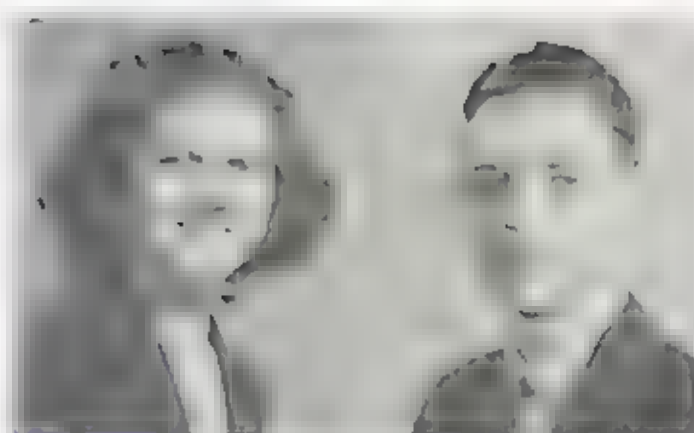
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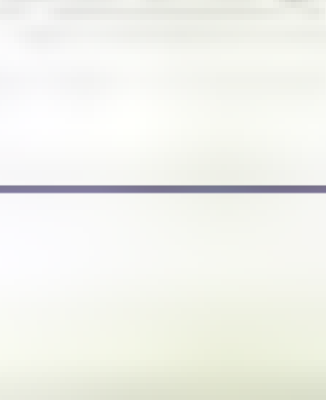
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CLASS POEM

Last night I had the strangest dream,
And even as I slept
I realized its sadness,
And in my dream I wept.

It seemed that we became aware,
As fast the time drew near,
That graduating meant that we
Would not return next year.

When school was done, we sadly left,
Some other road to take,
Too choked with tears, too sick at heart,
Some petty speech to make.

Last night I had the strangest dream,
And even as I slept
I realized its sadness,
And in my dream I wept.

How glad I was when sunshine fell
And woke me with its beam!
I found a thought to ease the grief
That lingered from my dream;

It helped to soothe my aching heart;
It gave me peace of mind—
New friends, new joys, new hopes replace
The ones we leave behind.

—FRANCES SMITH.

CLASS WILL

We the Class of 1940 of Spartanburg High School, being informed that we are of unsound and one-tracked mind, and realizing that we are about to pass out quietly (?) from this temple of learning, do make, publish and declare this our last Will and Testament.

ARTICLE I

1. To Mr. Wilson, we leave our sincere appreciation for the patience shown during our four years on the bumpy road to education.

2. To the faculty, we leave the fond remembrance of our lovely behavior, a can of ether, and a bottle of smelling salts, to be used on our successors as is found necessary.

3. To the entire school, we leave a scholastic record which should be their goal, to equal or surpass.

4. To the person or persons helping us to pull through—Thanks!

ARTICLE II

and regulations, as did their humble predecessors, we Seniors, "Boss," and "The Great Awakening."

that they get out in '43.

ARTICLE III

Personal

1. Albert Watson leaves his journalistic genius to Morrell Thomas.

Beach, his bass horn to Albert Collins, and his bass voice to Russell Gaffney.

3. Ann Caldwell isn't leaving anything. She's taking it all with her.

4. Eaddy Williams leaves the teachers a little peace and quiet.

she says.

of it as she has.

7. Lyle Joyce leaves his tennis racket and his sports writing skill to Gus Chreitzberg.

9. Graham "Buddy" Schweickert wishes his little voice off on his brother Jimmy.

"Flash" is taking his lovely tenor voice with him for further training, we hope.

13. John Glominski leaves his political abilities to anyone needing them.

14. James Wallace leaves his scholastic genius to the entire school.

support.

16. Peggy Helmus leaves her best clothes to Dot Gilmore.

17. Emily Jennings bequeaths her glamour to Rebekah Tinsley.

19. Adolphe Vermont leaves a part of his looks to every Junior in school.

22. Norris France is taking his "glamour" to college with him.

better care of him than did the delegates returning from the Sumter convention.

Anno Domini nineteen hundred and forty.

Witnesses:

THE LONE RANGER
SUPERMAN
HEDY LAMARR

Signed:

ANNA HARRIS
CLYDE PATRICK



Good evening, ladies and gentlemen of the radio audience. This is the "Stare" Telecasting Company, Clarence Brown, founder and J. C. Brown, president, telecasting the gala premier of "Wind-blown," Clyde Patrick and Fredrick Cline's major production of the year's most talked-of book. Jane Smith, new screen discovery, plays the coveted role of Scarlett O'Horrer opposite Adolphe Vermont, the screen's latest heart throb, supported by an excellent cast of Emily Shealy, as Melody, William Culbertson, as Oakley, Velma Yarbrough, as Aunt Kittycat, and Ruth Cathcart, Billy Bearden, and Irene McDowell, opera star. Incidentally, ladies, the exquisite costumes for the superlavish cinema were designed by Mildred Page and Doris Lancaster.

Hugh Swain, Jimmy York, James Wallace, Nat Walker had been added to the group. Emily Jennings and Vivian Potter, sons of the family, were also at the wedding. The wedding was held at the St. Barth. [redacted] Santa Anita.



CLASS HISTORY

On September 14, 1936, a bunch of gaping freshmen entered Spartanburg High School and spent half the day searching the corridors for their rooms.

Almost as soon as we became settled, the Student Council was organized with fifty-four members and Mr. John Otts as faculty adviser.

With new equipment, remodeling, and a new director, the cafeteria got off to a good start, especially with the Class of '40.

On Armistice Day, the student body witnessed a pageant entitled "Flanders Field," which was presented in the gymnasium.

"Little Women" was the Dramatic Club's first production of the year.

The uplifting effect of the Class of 1940 was shown when results of exams revealed over one hundred perfect papers.

The month ended toward the holidays were preceded by the presentation of an operetta Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," in which several of us freshmen participated.

We returned from the holidays completely worn out from our rest.

During January, the first president of the Student Council, Paul McAlister, was elected and the Avon Payers, sponsored by the English Department, gave "The Merchant of Venice."

During school hours, the Science Department presented two demonstrations. The first was on sound and the second on glass blowing.

The 1937 edition of the Gymnastic Band won the state championship and flew through two rounds of the Washington and Lee tournament, only to have their earlier success by Savannah in the semifinals.

The Gym Club, held in the gymnasium, which was no longer a gym but was transformed into a big tent was complete with three rings, sawdust, pink lemonade, "wild animals," and clowns.

Ending our first year's high school students by traveling through exams, we added the summer conference course, highly evaluated, to our repertoire of more properly speaking, projects.

Entering school a veteran in September '35, we found it a little crowded, 1,756 students being enrolled.

The term of 1936 proved to be one of many large additions and improvements. The organization of the school administration was altered, making Mr. Landon dean and registrar and Mr. Rice assistant principal and treasurer. Nine new courses, with a total of 546 students, were added to the S. H. S. curriculum, including speech and dramatics, music, under the new director, Mr. Vernon E. Knight, diversified occupations, under Mr. S. W. Nicholson, who was also added to the faculty, that year several new business courses, art, and drama. Among the new courses introduced were the Delta P. Mathematics Club, the D. O. Club, diversified occupations, student, the Pegasus Club for poetry, even, and the Club and Scribble for budding young journalists.

Bob and Ed invaded the school, appearing in every hall and main entrance, pupils composed "Foo" poetry.

The Avon Payers came again, presenting "Macbeth," but even after their first pretentious seniors, it questioned the identity of the third murderer.

The Dramatic Club played a large audience with a heated production of a medieval play, "The Ivory Door."

Cearing our tired minds after much midnight cramming, we found that only thirty perfect exam papers had been turned in, a record, from the preceding year.

With the approaching winter, "The Nativity" was presented in the gymnasium, and school was filled with our usual, no warmer than in September, since the sun is a phomere can not be penetrated.

The Student Council sponsored a campaign to collect uniforms for uniforms S. H. S. greatly improved band. Finally, at a concert in the gymnasium in March, the long awaited uniforms were proudly worn for the first time. The school elected four girls to serve as their first band sponsors.



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JIMMY WALLACE



BEST LOOKING
HELEN HAIR
ADOLPHE VERMONT



BEST SCHOOL CITIZEN
EDNA RAINVILLE
WALTER HALE



FRIENDLIEST
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SUPERLATIVES-



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ANN CALDWELL
SAM BEACHAM



BEST DRESSED
PEGGY HELMUS
HARRY LEE

MOST ATHLETIC
EDNA RAINVILLE
JIMMY YORK



MOST POPULAR
EADDY WILLIAMS
WARREN A. FRNATHY

CLASS OF 1940



BIGGEST FLIRTS
MARGARETTA SCRUGGS
LEWIS ALLEN



BEST ALL-ROUND
MARGARET CHEATWOOD
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BETA CLUB

The Beta club, organized at Spartanburg high school in 1934, is a national honorary scholarship club. Membership is confined to seniors and juniors averaging ninety or above.

The purpose of this club is to encourage high scholarship and to inculcate principles of loyalty and courage.

Regular monthly meetings are held and various educational programs are presented to the members. Activities for this year have included the following: A Halloween program and party; a hike to Drayton and a trip through the mill to see the process of cloth making; a lecture on the history and development of Spartanburg County, by Miss Fronde Kennedy; and a talk by Dr. Adolph Vermont of Converse college, The Fun of Knowing Things.

National headquarters for the Beta club are in Spartanburg, and "The Beta Club Journal" is printed by a local firm.

Officers are Albert Watson, president; Jane Smith, vice president; Mary Hatchette, secretary and Walter Hale, treasurer. Miss Anne Gentry is sponsor for the club.



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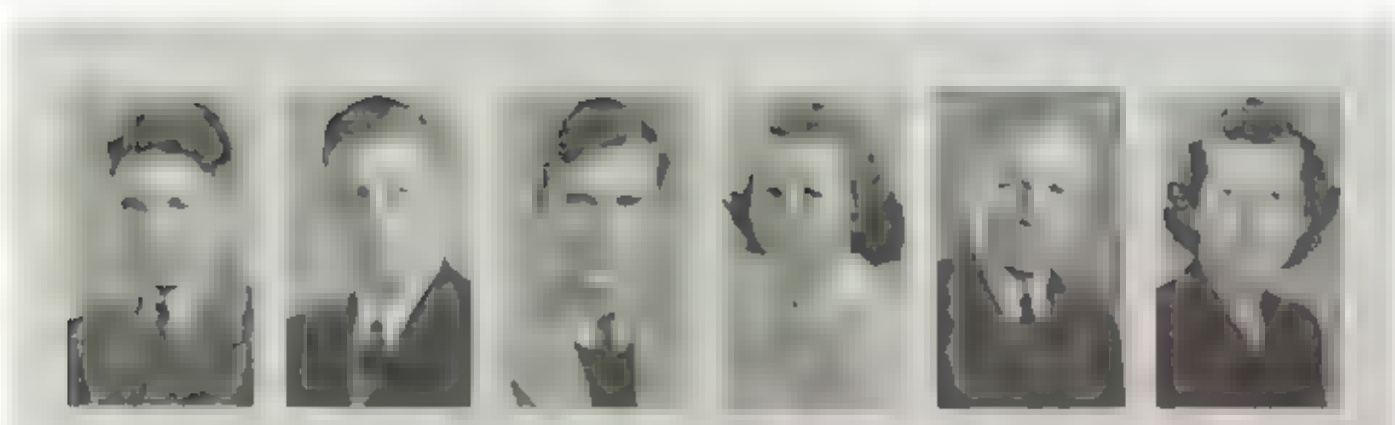
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Band

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Chorus

The chorus was reorganized this year with a boys division and a girls division. These groups have performed separately and together. The chorus consists of Betty Hines, Dorothy Gilmor, Mary Ch, Cheatwood, Elizabeth Bryant, and Graham Schweickert. A committee was also appointed to be used during the year. The chorus also participated in various events throughout the year. The chorus alone gave a short assembly program at the series of Sunday afternoon.

Orchestra

During the first three months of school, the orchestra played for the Student Council installation and the Christmas assembly program. It gave an assembly concert during the early part of the second term and played for various churches in the city. Much ensemble work was done, making smaller group programs. The orchestra also participated in various events throughout the year. The orchestra alone gave a short assembly program at the series of Sunday afternoon.

Glee Club

The glee club made its first appearance at the Thanksgiving assembly after it was organized by Graham S. The glee club also participated in various events throughout the year. The glee club alone gave a short assembly program at the series of Sunday afternoon.



DRAMATICS

The Passing of the Third Floor Back a play in three parts by Jerome K. Jerome was presented



main





Stage assistants during a rehearsal for "The Passing of the Third Floor Back"
 "The Passing of the Third Floor Back" on the evening of the performance



Delta Pi

The purposes of this organization are to be connected with mathematics, to not find a place in the classroom to promote the study of mathematics to give the students a glimpse of the future in study and in mathematics and our progress.

Delta Pi is confined to students who have attained an average of 80 in mathematics for the year previous. Only tenth and eleventh grades are eligible.

The officers of the club are as follows: president, Wm. Mitchell; vice president, Wm. Mitchell; secretary, and treasurer, Jack

Classical Club

The Classical Club was organized three years ago as a senior Latin class to vitalize the study of Latin by becoming acquainted with the customs, institutions and culture of the ancient world.

All students of the club's organization are eligible. Every Latin pupil is a member. The club's activities, which include topical debates and readings, are held during class time. Each attendance month

the officers are as follows: Miss Mathe Joyce Kinwell, sponsor; Edna Ranville, president; Jane Smith, program chairman; and Betty Murphy, secretary.

Officers and faculty sponsors of the club are shown in the picture to the left.

Sigma Delta Forensic Society

was organized on October 19 of last year with a charter membership of eleven students. Its purposes are to promote speaking and to afford an opportunity in debating.

Any senior or high school student standing at 80 per cent or better in membership. The program is enrolled in the club.

For this year have consisted of debates at which talks and debates by members of the club.

The officers are as follows: president, Robert Smith; vice president, George Montgomery; treasurer, Carolyn O'Brien. The faculty director is Mr. Ma

Diversified Occupations Club

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The Diversified Occupations Club is a group of people who are interested in learning about different careers and occupations. They meet regularly to discuss various jobs and the skills required for each. The club provides a platform for members to share their experiences and knowledge, helping them to make informed decisions about their future careers. The club also organizes workshops and seminars to help members develop new skills and gain practical experience in different fields.

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The Commercial Club is a group of people who are interested in learning about different careers and occupations in the commercial sector. They meet regularly to discuss various jobs and the skills required for each. The club provides a platform for members to share their experiences and knowledge, helping them to make informed decisions about their future careers. The club also organizes workshops and seminars to help members develop new skills and gain practical experience in different fields.

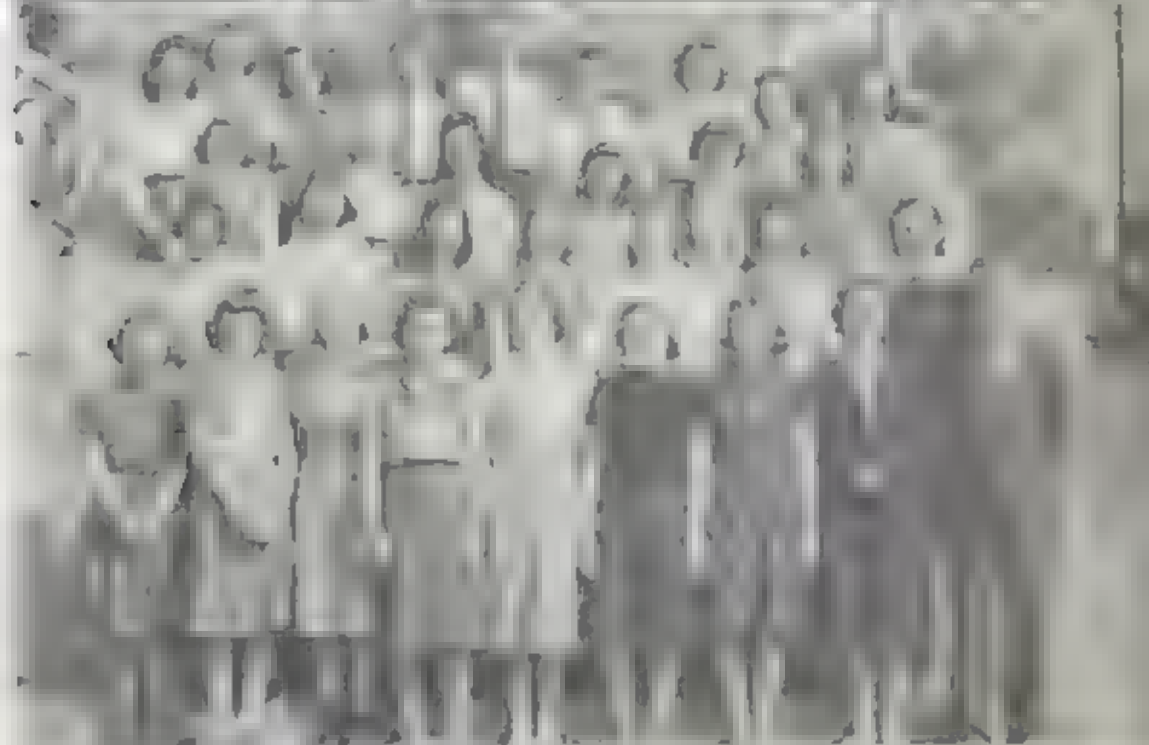
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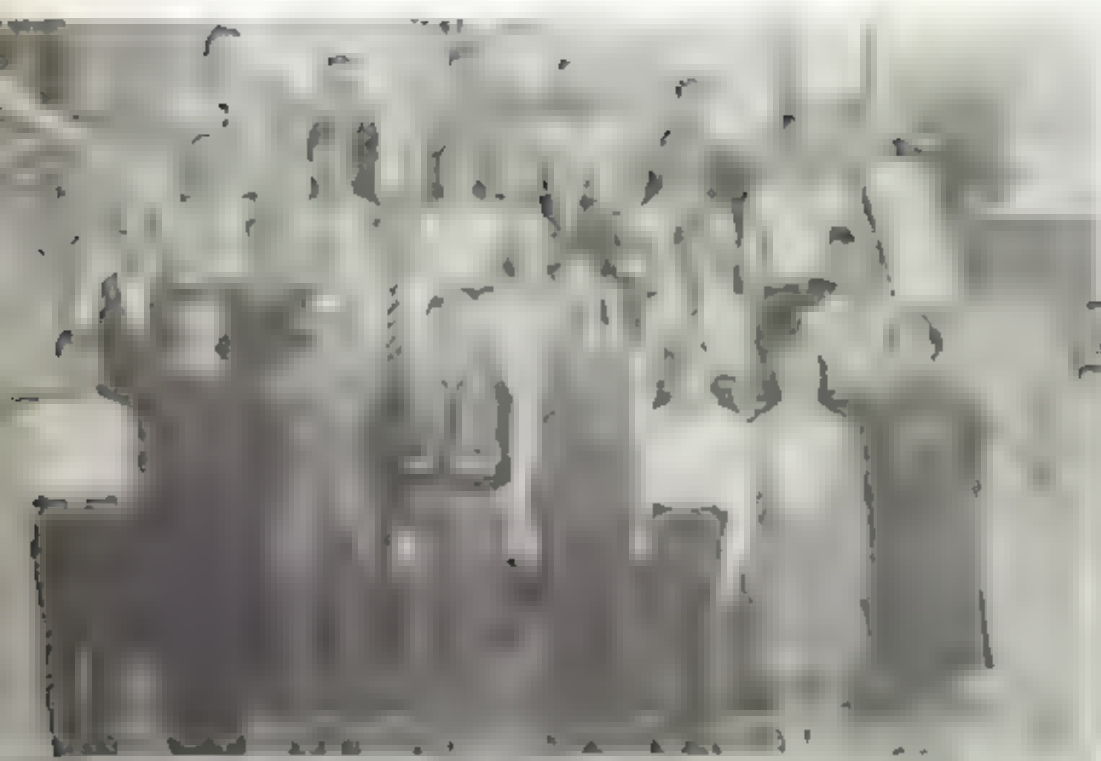
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Marion M.

Secretary
Marion M. Spence





Chemistry Club

The Chemistry club, a division of the former Bake Science club, was organized five years ago and was given _____ by the Student _____ Last year the club _____

_____ membership _____

_____ takes field trips (which included water works, gas plant, glass factory, _____ and Reichta Point Company) _____ imposed the club's programs.

_____ is sponsor and the _____ Beckelheimer, Jr. _____ vice-president, Gordon _____ and Edward Sp _____ gram



Biology Club

The Biology club was organized _____ students who were interested in extra curricular laboratory work. The _____ to acquaint biology pupils with activities apply to biology and to make field trips on which students study plant and animal life.

This year the club has made trips to several local concerns, including Beckers bakery, the general hospital and the _____ works, where they observed practical _____ demonstrations. Several meetings have been in the form of combined field trips and picnics on which the students studied nature and discussed the living organisms.

Officials this year are Mr. L. L. Dunap, sponsor; Gettys Riddell, president; Gordon Ladshaw, vice-president; Mildred Gault, secretary, and Virginia McCraw, treasurer.



Physics Club

Last year the Physics club, one of the _____ of the Bake Science club, reorganized, changed the nature of its programs. Previous to that time the club's program had been primarily _____ but since then the meetings have _____ concerned with cinema programs. _____ members of the club take movies _____ and learn to _____ sixteen millimeter _____

Madge Rudd is sponsor of the club. _____ the officers are David Fraser, president; Norris France, secretary-treasurer; Member Billy Bearden, Robert Beckelheimer, secretary; Walter Cunningham, Norris France, David Fraser, Howard Foster, Jack Hall, Joe Hodge, Gordon Ladshaw, Frank Lyles, William Lynch, Carl M. Clonahan, Howard Pettit, William Ross, and Daniel S. _____

Dihedral Flyers

With the aim of promoting student interest in aeronautics, the Dihedral Flyer club was organized in 1935.

Its purposes are to create interest in flying, to exchange ideas on airplane model building and to study the principles of aeronautics. In order to become a member of the club, a boy must place (that is, win a cash prize or a ribbon), in the contest sponsored by the Spartanburg County Fair association, or make a model that will fly twenty seconds.

Mr. J. M. Smith, instructor in mechanic drawing, is the club's faculty sponsor. The officers are as follows: Gus Christberg, president; Craig Jr., vice-president; and James C. Baker, secretary-treasurer.

Hi-Y Clubs

This is the fourth year of Hi-Y in Spartanburg high school. During the present session, the junior Hi-Y club, formerly at S. H. S., has been in the junior high schools, and the organization has been divided into two sections, the Beta chapter and the Sigma chapter.

The Hi-Y clubs, composed of boys from all three grades, take as their aim to create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character.

This year thirteen boys attended the Hi-Y conference held at Winston-Salem, North Carolina, December 12.

During the year the two chapters have held several joint meetings. Some of the outstanding programs have been the recitation of "The Christmas Carol" by Dr. C. H. Norton, a movie shown by the South Carolina State Highway Patrol, movies by the Southern Bell Telephone Company, a deputization program by agents from the University of South Carolina, a talk by Dr. Samuel Grafton, and the annual Father and Son banquet.

Social and athletic events have also been included in the year's activities.

Officials of the organization are as follows:

Beta chapter: William Manning, president; Oren Herring, vice-president; Russell Berry, secretary; B. I. Stallworth, treasurer; Jimmie Davis, chaplain; Colcock Brown, sergeant-at-arms, and Mr. C. H. Humphries, sponsor.

Sigma chapter: Frank Lyles, president; Nat Walker, vice-president; James Crowley, secretary; David Fraser, treasurer; George Drummond, chaplain; Page Irwin, sergeant-at-arms, and Mr. L. H. Chewning, sponsor.

Mr. William Allison, boys work secretary at the Y. M. C. A., directs the work of both chapters.

In the pictures to the right, the Beta chapter is shown above, the Sigma chapter below.





DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATIONS

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ATHLETICS



Coach E. R. McConnell
1939



MR. E. R. McCONNELL
Coach

MR. L. D. MULLINS
Assistant Coach

GUY CANTRELL
Captain

GEORGE S. S. S. S.
Manager

FOOTBALL

Despite the abundance of spirit and student backing, the Crimson Tide varsity eleven yielded each of its opponents on the gridiron during the 1939 season. Fighting hard for at least one confidence inspiring victory, the team was so handicapped in weight and experience that it was no match for any of the powerful competition offered in its schedule. Coach Tuck' McConnell with the aid of his assistant Coach L. D. Moon Mullins, had very little material to start off with in developing a team. Red Cantrell captain of the squad was the only player this year who had played a letter in 1938.

The record for the season was as follows:

W	L	T	Opponent	Score
0	1	0	Parker	18
0	1	0	Anderson	20
0	1	0	Asheville	32
2	0	0	Raleigh	19
0	1	0	Greenville	19
0	1	0	Charlotte	26
0	1	0	Charleston	27
0	1	0	Miami	19
0	1	0	Columbia	

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All hopes for a state record or even a very successful season were abandoned when the Tide still remained scoreless after defeats by its first three opponents. The powerful Parker eleven presented the first of these defeats, scoring eighteen points in a thrill-packed game. Still high in spirit, the hopeful S. H. S. Redmen went into the next encounter confident of a better showing against what was considered their weakest competition. As a result, Anderson walked off the field with a 20-0 victory, one of the worst upsets of the season. Though it was improving rapidly, the Tide was still greatly lacking in strength when Asheville High's Maroons traded them a goal for two touchdowns and a pair of extra points.

Disappointment after disappointment followed, as each of the other opposing teams walked off victoriously, leaving McConnell's boys with little or no score to show for the fight they had put up. Their first two points came in the Raleigh game, when they scored a safety on a blocked kick. This was one of the best played games of the season, and it marked the beginning of a notable improvement in the team's ability.

Three touchdowns went to the Crimson Tide before the season was over, but none of these accounted for a victory. They were defeated in rapid succession by Greenville, Charlotte, Charleston, Miami and Columbia. Each of these teams presented a stronger opposition than could be surpassed by the Tide, which was greatly lacking in power, especially on the offense, as the records reveal.

However, lacking as it was, the team this year was started from a mere scratch, and it is evident that this was just one of the unsuccessful seasons which are bound to come sooner or later.

As much success as has that of Spartanburg High for so many years.



Married

James Brewer, guard, Dave Cook, Jack Danc
John Earnhardt, and Buddy Evans, guard, Francis Gibbs, and Robert
George Smith, and Alvin Stone, and Jesse Tindall, back, and Donald Wertz



CHEERLEADERS

The student body chose its six cheerleaders from a long list of nominees at the beginning of the school year. Those elected, including four seniors and two juniors, led the cheering at football, basketball, and baseball games.

Faculty sponsors for the group were Miss Margaret Mulanax (chairman), Miss Marjorie Landru, and Mr. H. R. Dobson.

In the picture above, the cheerleaders shown are, left to right, as follows: John Ray White, Louise Thornton, Dorothy Harris, Lewis Allen, Helen Hair, and Warren Abernathy.

BASKETBALL

After the rather unsuccessful football season, the students at Spartan High anxiously and hopefully looked forward to basketball and a winning team. There was little, however, to support hope of a good season, for the team was inexperienced and green. There was only one letterman, Jimmy York, back from the '39 squad. He, with lanky John Earnhardt, six feet three and a half, who came back to Spartan High after two years at Textile Industrial Institute, Nat Walker, Hugh Swain, and Jimmy Wallace, formed the Red Bird first string.

The Cardinals surprised everyone by beginning one of the toughest schedules in many a year as powerful birds of prey, swooping down on their victims and carrying off a victory before the dazed teams who opposed them could defend themselves. Thus did the Wofford Frosh, the Erskine Frosh, Columbia (twice), Charlotte, Anderson, and the Georgia Military Academy, in order, fall before the all-sweeping Crimson.

At this point the team met the Charlotte Wildcats again. Earlier, the Spartans had subdued the Cats by almost twice their score. Nevertheless, the Birds fell in the return encounter by a one-point margin.

Coming back after their unexpected defeat, they managed two more wins, only to stagger again as they dropped the next encounter with Boys' High of Atlanta. After capturing the following tilt, the Birds seemed to hover in mid-air. But they fluttered to earth, losing to the Wofford Frosh, Greenville (the first loss to the rival city's basketeers in twenty-five games), Parker, and Asheville. The Crimson caught themselves for a moment in a last win against Boys' High, and then continued their way downward in the return games with Parker and Greenville. The curtain was drawn and the season ended.

In "The Scribbler's" second annual all-state basketball poll, sports authorities of the state selected John Earnhardt and Jimmy York for well-deserved berths on the mythical all-state team.

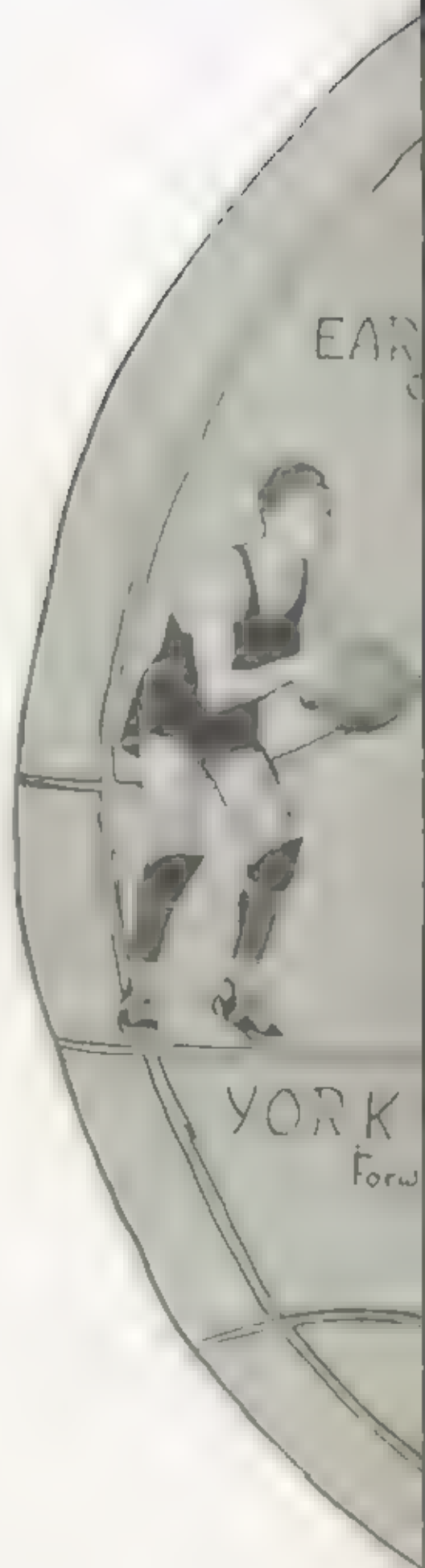
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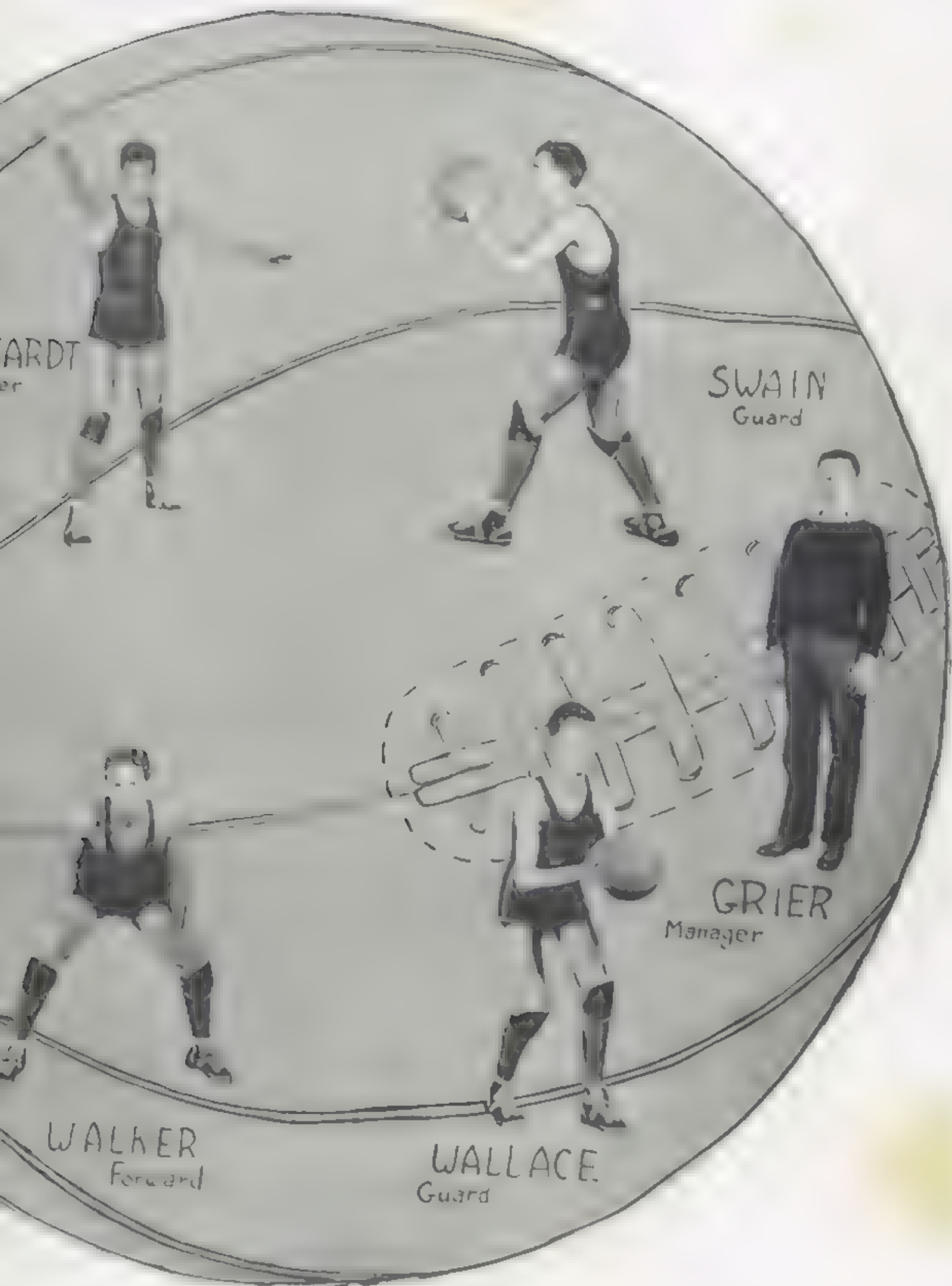


JIMMY YORK
Captain

1940 BASKETBALL RECORD

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Spartanburg High School, 36	. . .	Erskine Frosh, 23
Spartanburg High School, 39	. . .	Columbia, 30
Spartanburg High School, 41	. . .	Charlotte, 23
Spartanburg High School, 36	. . .	Anderson, 23
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Spartanburg High School, 22	. . .	Charlotte, 23
Spartanburg High School, 22	. . .	Anderson, 14
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Spartanburg High School, 15	. . .	Boys' High, 27
Spartanburg High School, 36	. . .	Asheville, 30
Spartanburg High School, 36	. . .	Wofford Frosh, 38
Spartanburg High School, 28	. . .	Greenville, 41
Spartanburg High School, 18	. . .	Parker, 34
Spartanburg High School, 30	. . .	Asheville, 43
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Spartanburg High School, 25	. . .	Parker, 38
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WALLACE
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BASKETBALL



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COLOR LEAGUE FOOTBALL

Approximately 88 boys took part in the 1939 football color league which was the second of its kind to be carried out at Spartanburg High School. The league was composed of four teams, with 22 players on each.

Bill Vaughan's Red team went through its schedule undefeated to win the league championship. In the finals the Red Birds defeated the White Generals, captained by Clyde Patrick, 19-12.

Chester Stevens' Blue Devils and Homer Watson's Black Hawks were in third and fourth place.

Members of the color league team were awarded miniature silver footballs at the

Twenty-fifth anniversary year that intra-mural football has been played at S. H. S.; it is under the direction of Coach H. R. Dobson. This type of athletic program gives boys who are too small to play on the varsity football team a chance to get experience at tackle football.

The average weight of the color league players last year was 135 pounds, and all participants in the program received excellent experience and training, both mentally and physically.





PAUL H. HARRIS
HARRIS HUNT CLUB
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TENNIS

The boys' tennis team, directed for the second consecutive year by Coach Charles Humphreys, has a fine record. The team has won titles with Clinton, Belton, Hartsville, Greenville, Rock Hill, Parker, Asheville, Furman Freshmen, Dreher, Columbia, Gaffney, Textile, University of South Carolina Freshmen, and Wofford Freshmen.

Members of the varsity team are shown above, upper left. They are, left to right, Mr. Humphreys, Bill Tice, Ed Hester, and Mike Lee. The water boy is Gus Chreitzberg.

The action shots show Gus Chreitzberg (upper right) serving and Lyle Joyce (lower left) killing a lob with an overhand smash.

In the picture at lower right are shown, standing behind the varsity men, twelve other members of the squad.



BASEBALL

After twelve years of dormancy, baseball was revived at Spartan High this spring, with Coach Lonnie Dunlap, former track mentor, in charge.

The Redbird nine showed up well in the season's competition. Teams played included Union, Clinton, Anderson, Charlotte, Forest City, Asheville, and Columbia.

In the squad picture, upper left, the men standing are Coach Dunlap, Jesse Tindall, Walter Earnhardt, Robert M. Moore, and Earnhardt. The men kneeling are George Smith, Jimmy D. B. Yates, Nat Wake, and Bill Vaughn.

York, upper right, is burning a fast ball across the plate.

In the photo at lower left, Tindall is sliding into second, with Smith covering the sack, in a practice game.

Earnhardt, lower right, has just hit a line drive to right field.



Edna Rainey, President
Mrs. Marjorie Landru

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Girls' Athletic Association made rapid strides in 1939-1940, its fourth season. With a membership of approximately 125 girls, it has carried out a program including six major sports units.

Hiking, which was given a more important position in the organization's activities than formerly, was supplemented by bowling, horse back riding, and golf.

Another addition to the program this year was a "varsity" basketball team, coached by Mr. Humphries and Miss Landru, which played several girls' teams from schools in and around Spartanburg County.

In speedball, the first sport of the season, the eleventh grade took the title. The juniors were winners in basketball, which followed. Laurels in volleyball and baseball were won by the ninth grade team.

Tennis and gym circus participation were the final activities.

The traditional banquet in May closed the season formally, the class shield going to the Class of 1942.





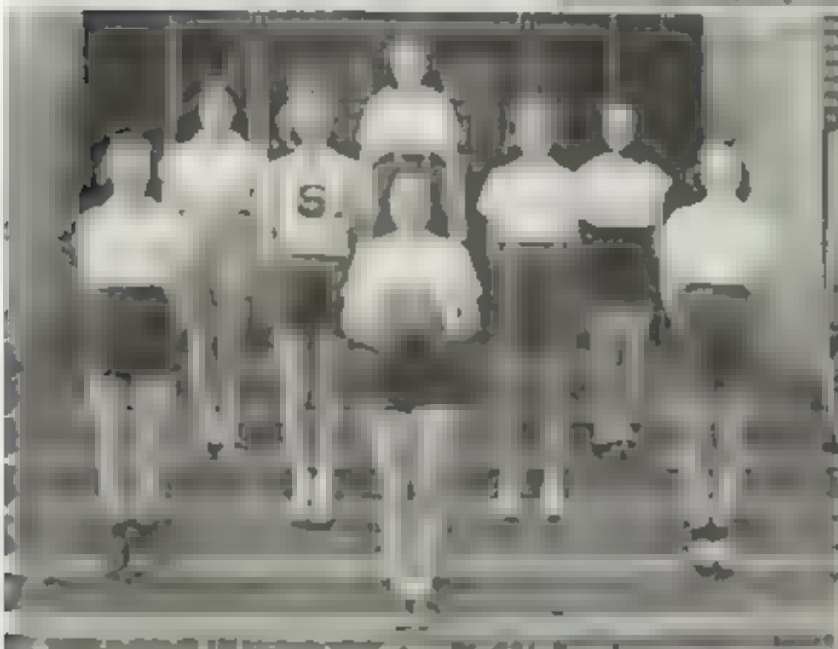
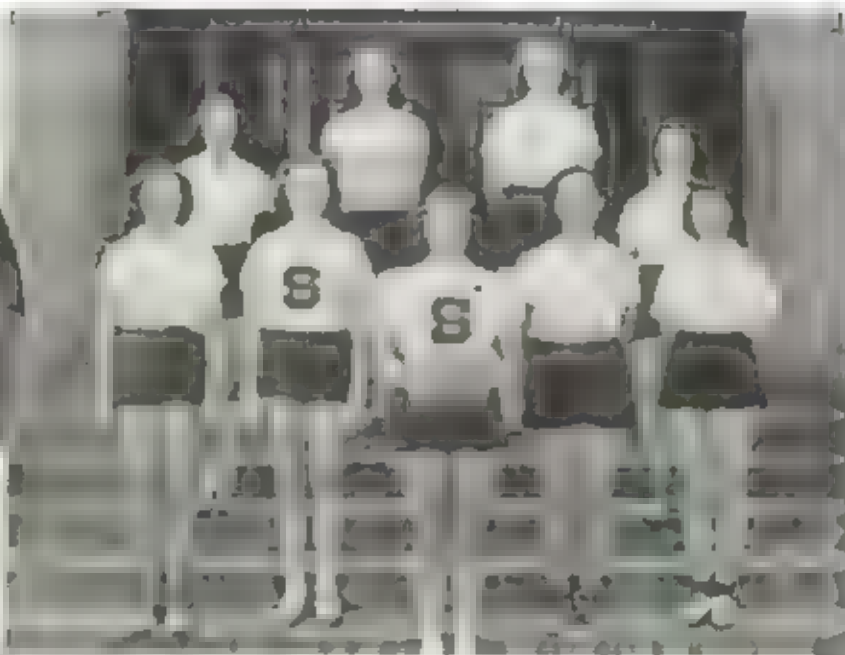
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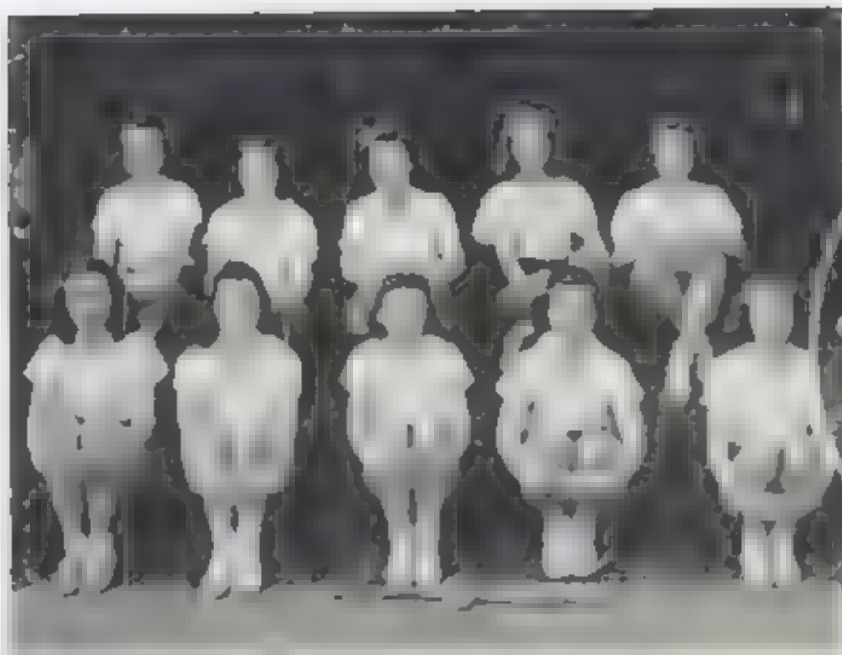
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Speedball
Basketball Champions (eighth grade)
Volleyball

Speedball Champions (eleventh grade)
Basketball
Volleyball Champions (ninth grade)



Esch's team in North Union

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GYM CIRCUS

FEATURES



BEAUTY



Miss Helen Hair

SENIOR CLASS

SECTION

Miss Rebekah Tinsley
JUNIOR CLASS



Miss Beth Golder
SOPHOMORE CLASS



Our local Goodman. . . . First down, ten to go. . . . Pull, brother, pull
 Sweethearts on parade. . . . Column right!



"I want to be a one." . . . The bunch. . . . The concert in the park. . . . Je tiens,
 tu tiens, il tient. . . . "Hey! . . . "Going my way?" . . . Wintersit
 Good morning, dear teachers. . . . Jesse on the job. . . . Fans. . . . Interview.
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ut there he calls Mother F. M. F. x. l. F. d. With n. r.
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Behind "The Scribbler's" nation . . . North was only
 39-24—hike! . . . "Where do we get from here?" . . . Editor Watson
 admires the bacon. . . Milling around. . . School days are here again
 . . . They shall not pass . . . What you need . . . I must be busy
 More than he can chew . . . "Something for you today?"

Howe D. Murphy

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John S. ...

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September 2, 1942 - Have just finished filling
out last questionnaire, and am writing a
letter to Mr.

September 2, 1942

Thomas Hawkins U.S. Navy Pacific Ocean
John Linder U.S. Navy Florida

Ralph Mette Gone but not forgotten. —

Hedrick Blackwood U.S. Army Abroad
Charles Blackwood U.S. Army - Abroad

MISSING George Glenn Ayers U.S. Navy - Atlantic Ocean
Herman Householder U.S. Army - Florida - ~~Abroad~~

Charles J. Buice ? Enlisted in U.S. Navy Nov. 5, 1942
October 27, 1942, "Army Day."

Carl E. Howe U.S. Army - California

Started work for the Newport News Shipbuilding
and Dry Dock Co. February 7, 1942 and
quit October 16, 1942, to join Navy.

Sworn in at Columbia S.C. Nov. 5, 1942
and was sent to Great Lakes, Illinois for basic
Training. Came home Dec 21-30 on first leave.

Transferred from Ill. to — Minneapolis, Minn.
University of Minn.

To U.S.N.O.B. Norfolk, Va.

To U.S.S. Hopping DENNIS ADDS

To Boston Mass U.S.N. Rec. Sta. FFA. Miami Fla

To High School
U.S. & Rec. Sta.
Baltimore Md.

To U.S.N. Training Sta.

Charles G. Bessie
United States Navy

Transferred to Charleston S.C. to commission and serve on U.S.S. Whitaker
A.P.F. 153 April 5, 1945

In Tokyo Bay from Sept. 20 until Dec 24.

Transferred to U.S.S. Sanborn APA. 194 for return to states and discharge
arrived Seattle, Wash. Jan. 8

arrived in Nashville Tenn. separation center Jan. 15, 1946.

Discharged from U.S. Navy January 20, 1946.

Went to Sandhill Church 21st & married
Gloria Lee Bessie on March 22, 1946.

Honeymooned in Florida for ten days.

Arrived in Spartanburg first of April.

Arrived in Danville April 15th & went
to work for Giles Flower Shop.

Lived up apartment 246 Grove Street.

Moved to 11th & Railroad St. Dec. 26, 1946

Became a proud father of a baby girl,

Bonnie Sue on April 11, 1947.

Left Flower Shop to work for a time at

Clarks Electric Co. and Danville Electric Co.

Decided to go to college & get degree. Entered

V. P. L. Extension in Sept. of 1949. Finished

in Blacksburg in May of '53. Came to Winston

Salem in June to work at Western Electric.

Moved first to Ardman Terrace Apts. &

entered Bonnie in Massie School. Moved to

a house on Cherokee Lane and our son,

Jimmy was born on Aug. 13th 1955.

B. in our first home on Leigh Court

And moved in in Nov. 1956. Charles J. Duncanson
Bonnie attended several schools before
graduating from Reynolds in 1965. She
entered the School of X-ray Technology at Baptist
Hosp. and graduated in Aug. of '67. Was hired
in Radiation Therapy in Sept. '67. Jimmy went
to St. John's Kindergarten, Latham, and now is at
Dutton Jr. High.

Have been with W.E. for 15 yrs. and am Sr. Engr.
in factory planning. Jimmy graduated from
Reynolds Sr. High in May of '73 and plans to enter
Appalachian State University in September. Bonnie
married Cameron Cashwell, Jr. in June of 1970 and
they are living & working in Stateline, Nevada.
I am still with WE, starting my 20th year. Jimmy
graduated from ASU in '77 & went to work for the Watauga
Democrat in Boone as Sports Editor & Associate Ed. He married
Valerie Clauson in Dec. of '79. She has two girls - Kelley &
Frances. In March of '80, Bonnie & Cameron went to Abu Dhabi
UAE. Starting my 28th year at WE. Retired from AT&T MAY
31st 1983. Still living in same house we built in 1956.
Bonnie & Jimmy are living near us with their same
mater. Today is Jan. 2, 1994.

